

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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4 PARENT DOE and JOHN DOE,

5 Plaintiffs,

6 v.

7 CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, *et*
8 *al.*,

9 Defendants.

Case No. 2:15-cv-00793-APG-GWF

**ORDER REJECTING PROPOSED
JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER**

(ECF No. 125)

10 The parties' proposed Joint Pretrial Order (ECF No. 125) does not comply with Local
11 Rules 16-3 and 16-4. For example, in their exhibit list, the plaintiffs list virtually every document
12 produced by the party using Bates-stamp designations beginning with the prefix "S," totaling over
13 2100 pages. The defendants thus cannot properly object as required by Local Rule 16-3(b)(8)(B).
14 The defendants list 90 proposed exhibits, but at least they seem to have reviewed and selected
15 specific exhibits. The plaintiffs attempt to reserve their objections to these exhibits, in violation
16 of Local Rule 16-3(b)(8)(B).

17 The plaintiffs list nine depositions they may offer at trial, but fail to designate page and
18 line numbers of specific testimony as required by Local Rule 16-3(b)(10). Thus, the defendants
19 cannot list their objections as required under Local Rule 16-3(b)(11). The proposed Order has
20 additional inadequacies; I will not catalogue those for the parties.

21 Local Rule 16-3 requires the parties to personally discuss these and other issues. The
22 requirements set forth in Local Rules 16-3 and 16-4 are designed to streamline trial preparation
23 and presentation, and to foster settlement. The parties cannot simply wait to make trial decisions
24 until the eve of trial. If they do, they cannot fully participate in settlement discussions.

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1 IT IS ORDERED that the parties' Joint Pretrial Order (ECF No. 125) is **REJECTED**.

2 The parties shall personally confer as required in Local Rule 16-3, and submit a Joint Pretrial
3 Order that complies with Local Rule 16-4 within 21 days of entry of this Order.

4 DATED this 3rd day of April, 2018.



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6 ANDREW P. GORDON
7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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